

Navy/Grumman Roundtable

May 4, 2018

2018 Action Item Updates

Agency	Action to be Taken	Current Status
DEC/Navy	RE108 Hotspot - St. Charles Parish Land Lease <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •DEC would like the Navy to speed up RE108 activities. •The Navy needs properties in the heart of the plume to do so. •It is in negotiations to acquire a land lease from St. Charles Parish for construction of extraction and treatment facilities. •The Navy hopes to have an agreement in FY18 so it can build in FY19. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •What is the current status? •Do you need assistance with the Diocese of Rockville Centre? •Congressman Suozzi has contacts at the Diocese and is willing to call on your behalf?
Navy/ Suozzi/ Saladino/ Black	RE108 Hotspot - Navy Land Acquisition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The Navy has legal restrictions which makes it difficult to acquire the land that they need for remediation purposes. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Congressman Suozzi, Supervisor Saladino and Bethpage Water District Commissioner Teri Black (who is also a realtor) offered to give the Navy a tour of the area and point out potential sites that meet Navy specifications. •Does the afternoon of June 29 work for the proposed tour?
DEC/EPA/ Navy	RE108 Hotspot - Navy Land Acquisition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •EPA will explore options to see if it is able to complete land transactions on behalf of the Navy. This would entail entering into an agreement with DEC whereby EPA is given authority to do so under the State superfund program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •EPA is scheduled to discuss options with DEC on May 31, 2018. Chris Lyon - please provide an update.
Suozzi/ Saladino/ Navy/ BWD/ MWD	RE108 Hotspot - Navy Land Acquisition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Form a Real Estate Committee to assist Navy in identifying land needed for remediation. •Committee would consist of Tom Suozzi, Joe Saladino, Matt Rozea (TOB), Brain Murray (Navy), Richard Mach (Navy), Jeanine Womble (Navy), Mike Boufis (BWD), Teri Black (BWD), Stan Carey (MWD), Cindy Rogers (Cong. Suozzi) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •How about meeting in Bethpage on June 29, following the tour with the Navy?

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NG/Suozzi/ Saladino	NG/King Kullen Easements •NG needs to obtain an easement from King Kullen to place a pipeline on their property. They are having difficulty in receiving the necessary easement.	•Congressman Suozzi and Supervisor Saladino are willing to reach out to King Kullen to facilitate the easement. Tell us what you need. Ed Hannon (NG) to send info to Congressman Suozzi, Supervisor Saladino and Cindy Rogers
DEC/BWD	Alternative Water Sources for BWD •DEC is looking at options to help BWD find alternative water supplies. •Moving BWD outside of the plume area would be part of a larger technical plan. •BWD estimates it will cost \$17 million to close down Plants 4, 5 and 6 and establish new wells outside of the plume area.	•Congressman Suozzi sent a letter to the Secretary of the Navy suggesting that the Navy immediately consider purchasing the wells from the BWD. This will allow the Navy to conduct extraction and treatment on site and will provide BWD with the funds that they need to establish wells outside the plume area. •Congressman Suozzi to meet with Assistant Secretary of the Navy Phyllis Bayer on June 7 to discuss this and related issues. •Bethpage Water District, with the help of the DEC, needs to identify alternative sites to place new wells.
DEC	Radium •DEC has been looking into radium, as has the Navy. •DEC has asked Grumman for information on its past usage of radiological materials and is looking at some buildings used by NG. This is an ongoing matter. •DEC anticipates issuing a report soon.	
Navy/ Suozzi	1,4 Dioxane •The Navy is studying 1,4 dioxane to see if it responsible for releasing 1,4 dioxane in the plume area. Richard Mach said this will be a lengthy process. Congresssman Suozzi said to reach out to him if he can help shorten the process.	

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NG/TOB	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•VOC Removal at Community Park•NG will require access to the ballfields for the next two to three years as it works to remove VOCs via thermal treatment. Supervisor Saladino said to speak to Matt Rozea re: necessary permits.•VOC removal should begin sometime between July and late fall.	